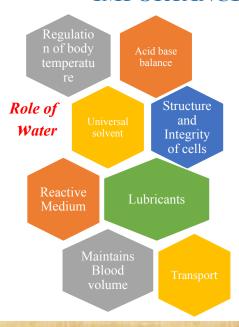


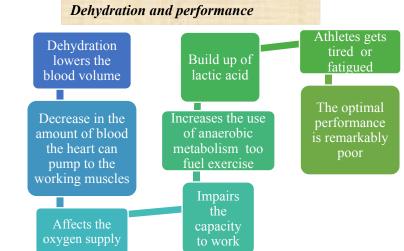




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# IMPORTANCE OF HYDRATION IN SPORT





#### Recommendation Pre, During and Post Training

For exercise lasting less then 1 hour, plain water is sufficient while for events lasting more than 1 hour use sports drinks/CHO/ electrolyte drinks.

Replace 1 kg of body weight loss by consuming 1.5L of water. Since, 1 L of sweat is equivalent to 1 kg of body weight loss.

During intense exercise lasting more than 1 hr, CHO should be ingested at 30-60 g/hr to maintain oxidation and delay fatigue.

For events lasting more than 1 hr, include sodium (0.5- 0.7 g/100 mL of water) to promote fluid retention, enhance palatability and prevent

## Recommendation Pre, During and Post Training

About 2-3
hours before training

•At least 500-750
ml fluids

1 Hour before training

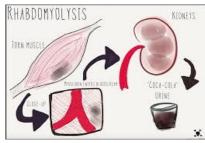
•1 cup) fluid/water

•At least 200-250ml fluids (bladder must be emptied)

## Consequences of Dehydration







At regular interval during training sip fluids

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